GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3369
ANSWERED ON:24.08.2006
TRAIN SERVICE BETWEEN DEHRADUN THIRUVANANTHAPURAM/ COCHIN
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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) Whether the Railways are contemplating to run a train service directly between Dehradun and Thiruvananthapuram/Cochin;

(b) If so, whether any memorandum in this regard has also been received from Doon Malayalee Samajam; and

(c) If so, the reaction of the Railways thereto?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI R. VELU)

(a): No, Sir.

(b): Yes, Sir.

(c) : Examined but not found feasible due to operational and resource constraints.